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DECLARATION - USA PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name:

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **A NOVEL MICROORGANISM ISOLATED FROM CHINESE ELM(ULMUS SP.) AND PROCESS FOR PREPARING EXOPOLYSACCHARIDES BY EMPLOYING THE MICROORGANISM**; the specification of which was filed on **July 27, 2001** as Application No. **09/921,013**.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above:

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56:

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful, false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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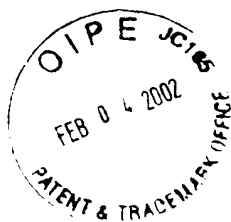
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		(ULMUS SP.) AND PROCESS FOR)
		PREPARING)
		EXOPOLYSACCHARIDES BY)
		EMPLOYING THE)
		MICROORGANISM)
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ESTABLISHMENT OF RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE ACTION
AND
REVOCATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

The undersigned is empowered act on behalf of the assignee below(the "Assignee"). A true copy of the original Assignment of the above-captioned application from the inventor(s) to the Assignee is attached hereto. This Assignment represents the entire chain of title of this invention from the Inventor(s) to the Assignee.

I declare that all statements made herein are true, and that all statements made upon information and belief are believed to be true, and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful, false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, and that willful, false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, or any patent issuing thereon.

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The undersigned hereby revokes any previous powers of attorney in the subject application, and hereby appoints the registrants of Knobbe, Martens, Olson & Bear, LLP, 620 Newport Center Drive, Sixteenth Floor, Newport Beach, California 92660. Telephone (949)760-0404, **Customer No. 20,995**, as its attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected herewith. This appointment is to be to the exclusion of the inventor(s) and his attorney(s) in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 3.71.

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ASSIGNMENT


WHEREAS, We, Young Lyeol Yang, a Republic of Korea citizen, residing at 101-1407 Sejong Apartment, Jeunmin-dong, Yusung-gu, Taejon, Republic of Korea and Young Joo Kim a Korean citizen residing at 102-1206 Sejong Apartment, Jeunmin-dong, Yusung-gu, Taejon, Republic of Korea, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a **A NOVEL MICROORGANISM ISOLATED FROM CHINESE ELM(ULMUS SP.) AND PROCESS FOR PREPARING EXOPOLYSACCHARIDES BY EMPLOYING THE MICROORGANISM** for which we have filed the U.S. Patent Application, Serial No., 09/921,013 July 27, 2001;

AND WHEREAS, Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a Republic of Korea Corporation, with its principal place of business at #416, Metan-dong, Paldal-ku, Suwon-si, Kyunggi-do, 442-742, Republic of Korea, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements and the said Application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in light of good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said inventors, do hereby acknowledge that we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application and all provisional applications relating thereto, and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

This 24th day of October, 2001


Signature of Yang, Young Lyeol

This 24th day of October, 2001


Signature of Kim, Young Joo